

April 4, 2007

**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**  
**GUARDING THE UNKNOWN SOLDIER**

Other requirements of the Guard (continued):

**The shoes are specially made with very thick soles to keep the heat and cold from their feet. There are metal heel plates that extend to the top of the shoe in order to make the loud click as they come to a halt. There are no wrinkles, folds or lint on the uniforms.**

**Guards dress for duty in front of a full-length mirror.**

**In the first six months of duty, a guard cannot talk to anyone nor watch television.**

**Raffle** - Tonight's prize, a Shoppers Hardware gift certificate donated by Bob Danielson, was won by Alan Hawkins.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were given tonight by Frank Butterworth, David Lourie, Alan Hawkins, Warren Simpson, Tony Wagner, Nancy Hawes, Kathy Cotter, Mike McGovern, Jim Russell, Joan Frustaci, Bob Carson, Bob Danielson, Wayne Schaab, Tom Meyers, John LoBosco, Marge Barker, Janet McLaughlin, Adrienne Murphy, Jack Roberts, Bob Flynn, Jack Kennealy and John Eliassen.

**New Member** - Tonight we welcomed back to the club Bob Flynn. Bob, who is in the web training business, is a resident of CE with his wife, Michele. Welcome back, Bob!

**District Conference** - This year's conference is scheduled for May 18-20 at the Colony Hotel in Kennebunkport. Early bird registration is \$55. Please see John Eliassen or Tony Wagner for info.

**District Assembly** - This year's Assembly is at the York Community College on April 18. Incoming officers and new members are especially urged to attend. Please contact Tony Wagner to sign up.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**Foundation Minute** - Frank Butterworth revealed his thermometer showing that to date the club has donated \$9,021. We are well on our way to meeting our goal of \$10,000. Thank you to everyone for your continuing support.

**Rebuilding Together** - Please help us on April 28, our 5th year of helping someone in the area who can't afford the repairs and safety items on their homes. It's a full, but satisfying day where Rotarians, friends and families are invited to participate on our crew. Sign-up sheets will be at meetings. For more information, or to sign up, please contact Dan Davidson at 767-4682.

**International Food Fair** - Kathy Cotter updated us on where we are relative to the Food Fair. More silent auction items are needed. She has a list of businesses that need to be called on. Also, quarter-page ads are available for \$50 in the brochure. Lastly, tickets are available - please make checks out to the SP/CE Rotary.

**Soup Kitchen** - Tuesday, April 10 is our monthly Soup Kitchen obligation. Joe Conroy asked for more volunteers. The dessert is cupcakes, no nuts.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Gene Ehlers, an instructor with Maine Handicapped Skiing (MHS). MHS, located at Sunday River for the past 25 years, has grown from 8 to over 250 participants. Gene reports that volunteers are needed and you don't have to be an expert skier to get started. Thank you to Nancy Hawes for inviting Gene to speak tonight.

**Upcoming Events**

- April 10 - Soup Kitchen
- April 11 - Law Enforcement Against Prohibition (Tony Wagner, Program Chair)
- April 18 - Honduran Trip (John Eliassen, P.C.)
- April 18 - District Assembly
- April 25 - Sustainable Harvest (J. Eliassen, P.C.)
- May 2 - Meg Wolff (Joan Frustaci, Program Chair)
- May 9 - Adam Cote (Anne Swift-Kayatta, P.C.)

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**April 11**

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| Song        | Wagner      |
| Invocation  | Frustaci    |
| Raffle Gift | Davidson    |
| Conductor   | Butterworth |

**April 18**

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| Song        | Wilcox  |
| Invocation  | Gacetta |
| Raffle Gift | Daviero |
| Conductor   | Carson  |

**April 25**

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| Song        | Yerxa     |
| Invocation  | Gemme     |
| Raffle Gift | R. Dobson |
| Conductor   | Conroy    |

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Other requirements of the Guard (continued):

**All off-duty time is spent studying the 175 notable people laid to rest in Arlington National Cemetery. A guard must memorize who they are and where they are interred. Among the notables are President Taft, Joe E. Lewis (the boxer) and Medal of Honor winner, Audie Murphy (the most decorated soldier of WWII) of Hollywood fame.**

**Raffle** - Tonight's prize, a video and popcorn donated by Dan Davidson, was won by Kathy Cotter.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were given tonight by Adrienne Murphy, David Lourie, Capt. Lloyd Knight, Alan Hawkins, Margaret Hawkins, John Linehan, Thurston Holt, Kathy Cotter, Joan Frustaci, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Frank Gemme, Rick Dobson, Dave Bagdasarian, Tom Meyers, Janet McLaughlin and John Eliassen.

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**Soup Kitchen Wrap Up** - Last night, Frank Gemme, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Thurston Holt, Joe Conroy, Kathy Cotter, David Lourie, Dave Bagdasarian, Wayne Schaab, and John LoBosco (with his wife Susan, daughter Emily and friend Molly) all served at the Soup Kitchen. Our next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, May 8. The dessert is cupcakes, no nuts.

**Rotary Supports School Reading Programs** - Tonight Alan Hawkins, representing CE schools and his wife Margaret, representing SP schools, each received checks from our club for \$2,500 to benefit reading programs in each district. In SP, the money will be used to help the English as a second language program. In CE, it will be used to strengthen the middle school reading and writing programs.

**Rebuilding Together** - Please help us on April 28, our 5th year of helping someone in the area who can't afford the repairs and safety items on their homes. It's a full, but satisfying day where

Rotarians, friends and families are invited to participate on our crew. Sign-up sheets will be at meetings. For more information, or to sign up, please contact Dan Davidson at 767-4682.

**International Food Fair** - Kathy Cotter passed around a sign up sheet tonight for volunteers to help with set up, clean up and working at the event. We still need to sell a lot of tickets. So far, only 63 have been sold. More auction items are definitely needed. Anything that you can do to help will be appreciated. Contact Kathy if you can help.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Peter Christ, Treasurer of Law Enforcement Against Prohibition (LEAP). LEAP's mission is to prevent the unintended harmful consequences resulting from fighting the war on drugs by ending drug prohibition. LEAP's goal is to educate the public, the media and policymakers about their perceived failure of current drug policies. LEAP does this by speaking around the country in the hope of starting a dialogue about our current drug policies. Thank you to Tony Wagner for inviting Peter to speak tonight.

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- April 18 - Honduran Trip (John Eliassen, P.C.)
- April 18 - District Assembly
- April 25 - Sustainable Harvest (J. Eliassen, P.C.)
- May 2 - Meg Wolff (Joan Frustaci, Program Chair)
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**May 2**

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| Invocation  | Goodrich    |
| Raffle Gift | J.D. Dobson |
| Conductor   | K. Cotter   |

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April 18, 2007

**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**  
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**ETERNAL REST GRANT THEM, O LORD,  
AND LET PERPETUAL LIGHT SHINE UPON  
THEM.**

I don't know if you saw this in the news, but it really impressed me. Funny that our U.S. Senate/House took two days off, as they couldn't work because of the expected storm.

On the ABC Evening News, it was reported tonight that, because of the dangers from Hurricane Isabelle approaching Washington, D.C., the military members assigned the duty of guarding the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier were given permission to suspend the assignment.

They respectfully declined the offer, "No way, Sir!"

**Raffle** - Tonight's prize, a gift to be determined donated by Bill Daviero, was won by Wayne Schaab.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were given tonight by Nancy Hawes, Wayne Schaab, Phil Dube, Bob Carson, David Lourie, Joan Frustaci, Steve Wilcox, Kathy Cotter, Wayne Goodrich, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Mike McGovern and Janet McLaughlin.

**District Conference** - This year's conference is scheduled for May 18-20 at the Colony Hotel in Kennebunkport. Early bird registration is \$55. Please see John Eliassen or Tony Wagner for info.

**District Assembly Wrap Up** - Kathy Cotter and Joan Frustaci reported on this year's Assembly. Kathy spoke about the importance of the family of Rotary and Joan picked up some great information on RYLA.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**Rebuilding Together** - Please help us on this Saturday, April 28, our 5th year of helping someone in the area who can't afford the repairs and safety items on their homes. We will meet at the Blake, Noyes & Allen parking lot at 7:15 am (across from the tree lot) and will leave for the work site at 7:30 am. The location is the same as last year, 72 Westminster Street in Portland. For more information, or to sign up, please contact Dan Davidson at 767-4682.

**International Food Fair** - Kathy Cotter reported on the status of the Food Fair. Ticket sales are picking up, but there are still a lot to be sold. More volunteers are needed the day of the Fair, particularly between 10:45 am and 2:00 pm. Also,

more silent auction items are needed. You can get these to Kathy right up to Friday, May 4. For more information, contact Kathy.

**Spelling Bee** - Our team for the Bee is set - Wayne Goodrich, Jack Kennealy, David Lourie and Bob Carson. It will be held on Thursday, May 10.

**Editor's Note** - Thank you to Frank Butterworth for taking notes at tonight's meeting.

**Program** - Due to unforeseen circumstances, we were not able to have a program tonight. Therefore, Janet adjourned the meeting early.

**Upcoming Events**

- April 25 - Sustainable Harvest (J. Eliassen, P.C.)
- April 28 - Rebuilding Together
- May 2 - Meg Wolff (Joan Frustaci, Program Chair)
- May 5 - International Food Fair
- May 8 - Soup Kitchen
- May 9 - Adam Cote (Anne Swift-Kayatta, P.C.)
- May 16 - (Jeff Hobbs, Program Chair)
- May 18-20 - District Conference
- May 23 - (John LoBosco, Program Chair)
- June 27 - Changeover Night

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| Conductor   | Conroy    |

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| Song        | Bagdasarian |
| Invocation  | Goodrich    |
| Raffle Gift | J.D. Dobson |
| Conductor   | K. Cotter   |

**May 9**

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| Song        | Barker    |
| Invocation  | Hawes     |
| Raffle Gift | Dube      |
| Conductor   | P. Cotter |

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Soaked to the skin, marching in the pelting rain of a tropical storm, they said that guarding the Tomb was not just an assignment; it was the highest honor that can be afforded to a serviceperson. The tomb has been patrolled continuously 24/7 since 1930.

We can be very proud of our young men and women in the service, no matter where they serve.

**GOD BLESS THEM.**

**Raffle** - Tonight's prize, two tickets to the International Food Festival donated by Rick Dobson, was won by John Hewitt.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were given tonight by Marc Mutty, Nancy Hawes, Rick Dobson, Wayne Schaab, Jean Bugbee, Jack Kennealy, John Hewitt, Dan Gacetta, John LoBosco, Kathy Cotter, Wayne Goodrich, Kathy Ray, Alan Hawkins, Frank Butterworth, Dick Yerxa, Paul Butler, Janet McLaughlin and John Eliassen.

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**Foundation Minute** - Frank Butterworth reminded everyone in the club that Rotary International's goal is \$120 million this year. Our club goal is \$10,000 and trying to get everyone in the club to donate. We're not quite there. If you haven't yet donated, please consider it. Any donation is acceptable.

**Rebuilding Together** - Please help us this Saturday, April 28, our 5th year of helping someone in the area who can't afford the repairs and safety items on their homes. We need pry bars, hammers and small step ladders if you have them. We will meet at the Blake, Noyes & Allen parking lot at 7:15 am (across from the tree lot) and will leave for the work site at 7:30 am. The location is the same as last year, 72 Westminster Street in Portland. For more information, or to sign up, please contact Dan Davidson at 767-4682.

**International Food Fair** - Kathy Cotter showed a brief video of one of the recipients of the scholarship money that we are raising, who was featured on the Teens Who Care segment on Channel 6. This student, who came from Zambia, has been awarded a full scholarship to Bates College. Ticket sales are picking up, but there are still a lot to be sold. More volunteers are needed the day of the Fair, particularly between 10:45 am and 2:00 pm. Also, more silent auction items are needed. You can get these to Kathy right up to Friday, May 4. For more information, contact Kathy.

**Spelling Bee** - Our team for the Bee is set - Wayne Goodrich, Jack Kennealy, David Lourie and Bob Carson. It will be held on Thursday, May 10.

**Program** - John Eliassen introduced the members of Sustainable Harvest International (SHI). The goal of SHI is working with local partners towards environmental, economic and social sustainability. Some of the accomplishments of SHI include over 2 million trees planted and over 25,000 acres of slash & burn forest saved. SHI is currently working in four countries in Central America, dramatically improving the economies of these local families. Thank you to John Eliassen for tonight's program.

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**May 2**

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| Song        | Bagdasarian |
| Invocation  | Goodrich    |
| Raffle Gift | J.D. Dobson |
| Conductor   | K. Cotter   |

**May 9**

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| Song        | Barker    |
| Invocation  | Hawes     |
| Raffle Gift | Dube      |
| Conductor   | P. Cotter |

**May 16**

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| Song        | Bugbee    |
| Invocation  | Hawkins   |
| Raffle Gift | Dunphy    |
| Conductor   | Danielson |

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**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**

That ten of our members participated in the fifth straight year of Rebuilding Together Greater Portland. Kathy Cotter and Wayne Schaab worked at house #1 in Westbrook and Marge Barker, Tony Wagner, Dan & Edie Davidson, Tom Meyers, Jim Russell, Paul Butler and John LoBosco worked at house #2 in Portland, our second year at that house. But what most of you don't know is that Dan Davidson returned to the house for six hours on Sunday and worked with the team leader to finish up the work that wasn't completed on Saturday.

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, a VISA gift card donated by J.D. Dobson, was won by John Hewitt.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Dave Bagdasarian, Dan Davidson, Bob Flynn, Bob Carson, Wayne Goodrich, Bob Danielson, Bill Daviero, Jim Russell, Adrienne Murphy, Kathy Cotter, John LoBosco, John Hewitt, David Lourie, Janet McLaughlin, Joan Frustaci, Tony Wagner and John Eliassen.

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**Soup Kitchen** - Next Tuesday, May 8 is our monthly Soup Kitchen obligation. The dessert is cupcakes, not nuts.

**Spelling Bee** - Our team for the Bee is set - Wayne Goodrich, Jack Kennealy, David Lourie and Bob Carson. It will be held on Thursday, May 10.

**GSE Team** - Next Thursday, May 10 an incoming GSA team from Switzerland will be spending the day with us. John Eliassen is looking for members that can help drive them around, as well as perhaps take them on a ferry boat ride or spend some time in the Old Port together. Please contact John if you can help out.

**International Food Fair** - Kathy Cotter reports that ticket sales have recently picked up, but more can be done. Also, more volunteers are needed on the day of the fair. If you can help out, please contact Kathy. Wayne Goodrich publicly thanked Kathy tonight for all she has done. Thank you, Kathy, for all your hard work!

**Family Fun Day** - John Eliassen announced tonight that our first food event, Family Fun Day, will be on June 16. Please mark your calendars.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Meg Wolff, author of Becoming Whole, The Story of My Complete Recovery From Breast Cancer. Meg's story begins in 1998 when she moved back to CE. She had been bone cancer free for 7 years prior to that and now found herself with Stage 3 breast cancer. In an attempt to do whatever it took to heal herself, Meg came across an article that spoke about the benefits of a macrobiotic diet and lifestyle. This was the first thing that she had found that gave her hope. A macrobiotic diet is based on whole grains, beans and vegetables. The results were dramatic. Within a year, the headaches, arrhythmia and other stomach conditions were gone, in addition to beating her breast cancer. Thank you to Joan Frustaci for inviting Meg to share her inspiring story.

**Upcoming Events**

- May 5 - International Food Fair
- May 8 - Soup Kitchen
- May 9 - Adam Cote (Anne Swift-Kayatta, P.C.)
- May 16 - Honduras Trip, (John Eliassen, P.C.)
- May 18-20 - District Conference
- May 23 - Steve Rowe, ME Attorney General (John LoBosco, Program Chair)

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| Raffle Gift | Dube      |
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**May 23**

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| Song        | Butterworth |
| Invocation  | Hewitt      |
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That this week's column is short on words but long on praise for the job that Phil Dube did for me as secretary while I was away for two weeks longer than the past several years. Many thanks, Phil. I'm already looking forward to my exodus for next year, knowing that there are people like Phil are around!!

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, car wash gift certificates donated by Phil Dube, were won by Adrienne Murphy.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Tony Wagner, Joan Frustaci, Thurston Holt, Jack Roberts, Adrienne Murphy, Nancy Hawes, John LoBosco, David Lourie, Bob Danielson, Bob Flynn, Bill Daviero, Frank Butterworth, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Dave Bagdasarian and John Eliassen.

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**Soup Kitchen Wrap Up** - Dave Bagdasarian reports that last night we served 254 meals. We could use a few extra hands at next month's kitchen. Serving were Dan & Edie Davidson, Thurston Holt, John, Sue & Emily LoBosco, Nancy Hawes, Adrienne Murphy, Steve Wilcox and Dave Bagdasarian. Our next opportunity to serve will be Tuesday, June 12.

**RYLA** - Joan Frustaci reports that this year we will be sending 11 students to RYLA, 10 from South Portland and 1 from Cape Elizabeth.

**Family Fun Day** - John Eliassen announced tonight that our first food event, Family Fun Day, will be on June 16. Please mark your calendars.

**Spelling Bee** - Our team for the Bee is set - Wayne Goodrich, Jack Kennealy, David Lourie and Bob Carson. It will be held on Thursday, May 10.

**International Food Fair Wrap Up** - Wayne Goodrich gave an update from Kathy Cotter on the food fair. Over 20 members of the club were in attendance. They all came away very impressed and the worthiness of this event. Although all the money has not been counted, it looks like we were able to raise about \$9,000 for scholarships. Thank you to Kathy and Wayne as well as all the members of the club who made this a success.

**Tornado Relief** - Our club voted tonight to send \$250 to the Rotary Club of Greensburg, Kansas to help in the rebuilding efforts of that devastated community.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Adam Cote, an attorney with Pierce Atwood specializing in Real Estate & Energy Law. Adam is also a veteran of the conflict in Iraq. He spoke about his experiences as a platoon leader in 2004-2005 in Mosul, Iraq. He described some of the positive aspects of his mission such as building roads, schools and bridges. He also described some of the negative aspects such as the policy decisions that lead to tragedies such as the suicide bombing of the chow hall in which 25 soldiers were killed. Adam believes that the solution to Iraq involves giving each of the three religious groups autonomy under a federal umbrella similar to what he experienced in Bosnia. Thank you to Anne Swift-Kayatta for inviting Adam to speak to us tonight.

**Upcoming Events**

- May 16 - Honduras Trip, (John Eliassen, P.C.)
- May 18-20 - District Conference
- May 23 - Steve Rowe, ME Attorney General (John LoBosco, Program Chair)
- May 30 - Regular Meeting (David Lourie, P.C.)
- June 16 - Family Fun Day
- June 27 - Changeover Night, 5:30pm, DiMillo's

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| Raffle Gift | Dunphy    |
| Conductor   | Danielson |

**May 23**

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| Song        | Butterworth |
| Invocation  | Hewitt      |
| Raffle Gift | Frustaci    |
| Conductor   | Davidson    |

**May 30**

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| Invocation  | Hobbs   |
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May 16, 2007

**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**

That I received a personal note from Danice Jacobson, 72 Westminster Avenue in Portland, where we helped her for the 2nd year with "Rebuilding Together." She says, "I was personally delighted to see a return of familiar faces from last year. Words in a card cannot express how pleased I am with the results of each project. I am looking forward to the bedroom getting painted, so that the living room can be insulated and sheet-rocked. The bedroom looks great! Thank you all for your volunteerism efforts. What you do really does change lives. Your kindness and generosity of time and energy will not be forgotten. Sincere thanks. Danice Jacobson."

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, a 1-hour massage donated by Fawn Dunfey, was won by Kathy Cotter.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Bob Flynn, Jack Kennealy, Wayne Goodrich, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Bob Carson, Joan Frustaci, Adrienne Murphy, David Lourie, Kathy Cotter, Jean Bugbee, Joe Conroy, Frank Butterworth, Janet McLaughlin and John Eliassen.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**GSE Team Wrap Up** - President John announced that the GSE team had a good time visiting Portland and recommends that next year anyone that can assist should do so.

**RYLA** - Joan Frustaci reports that this year we will be sending 11 students to RYLA, 10 from South Portland and 1 from Cape Elizabeth.

**Family Fun Day** - John Eliassen has announced that our first food event, Family Fun Day, will be on June 16. Please mark your calendars.

**Spelling Bee Wrap Up** - Although we did not defend our title, the spelling bee was able to raise over \$10,000 for the CEEF. Many thanks to our team members - Wayne Goodrich, Jack Kennealy and David Lourie.

**Football Trip** - Although it is still spring, it is not too soon to think about a club trip to Foxboro in the fall. Phil Dube has asked me to see if anyone in the club is interested in chartering a bus like we did a couple years ago to the Red Sox. Please contact Phil if you are interested.

**Foundation Minute** - Frank Butterworth reviewed some of the projects that we have been able to do locally with Foundation money. These include almost \$5,000 for Wainwright Field in SP and \$1,800 for the soup kitchen. In addition, we were able to get over \$10,000 in surgical equipment for the Dominican Republic in 2005. These are just a few examples of what your donation can do. Please consider giving by June 30 that everyone in the club can participate in giving something.

**Program** - Tonight's program was our own members, John Eliassen, Jean Bugbee and Janet McLaughlin, presenting a slide show on their March trip to Honduras. The club members were able to participate in placement of the water filters in villages, as well as bringing the folks from Sustainable Harvest together with the folks from Pure Water. One of the most gratifying things about their trip was the immediate difference that it made in the lives of the villagers. John is interested in leading a trip next year, so if you are interested, please get in touch with him. Thank you to our members for a very interesting program.

**Upcoming Events**

- May 18-20 - District Conference
- May 23 - Steve Rowe, ME Attorney General (John LoBosco, Program Chair)
- May 30 - Regular Meeting (David Lourie, P.C.)
- June 16 - Family Fun Day
- June 27 - Changeover Night, 5:30pm, DiMillo's

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**May 23**

|             |             |
|-------------|-------------|
| Song        | Butterworth |
| Invocation  | Hewitt      |
| Raffle Gift | Frustaci    |
| Conductor   | Davidson    |

**May 30**

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| Song        | Carson  |
| Invocation  | Hobbs   |
| Raffle Gift | Gacetta |
| Conductor   | Daviero |

**June 6**

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| Song        | Conroy    |
| Invocation  | Holt      |
| Raffle Gift | Gemme     |
| Conductor   | R. Dobson |

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May 23, 2007

**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**

That it's that time again to reveal the average age of the club, although I'm not really sure you want to hear it. If you were born in 1946, and two of you were, you are at the average age of the club, which is 61. One of you was born in the 70s, two in the 60s, 13 in the 50s, 22 in the 40s, 7 in the 30s, three in the 20s and only one of you in the teens.

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, a Broadway Gardens gift certificate donated by Joan Frustaci, was won by Tom Meyers.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Janet McLaughlin, Mike McGovern, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Jeff Hobbs, Frank Butterworth, Tony Wagner, David Lourie, Marge Barker, Nancy Hawes, Bob Flynn, Adrienne Murphy, Jean Bugbee, Jack Roberts, Bill Daviero, Wayne Schaab, Dan Davidson, Joan Frustaci, Marc Mutty, Jack Kennealy, Tom Meyers and John Eliassen.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**Interact Club** - Tonight we were joined by members of the South Portland Interact Club. For those of you that don't know, Interact is the high school equivalent of Rotary. These young students have helped us sell Christmas trees, worked at the Preble Street Resource Center, have helped raise money for the American Cancer Society and had a clothing drive for the SP Food Cupboard.

**Family Fun Day** - Tonight a sign up sheet was sent around for this June 16 event. We are looking for 3-hour shifts starting at 10:00 am and going until the evening. Please sign up ASAP.

**Public Works Luncheon** - On June 19, we will be hosting our annual Public Works luncheon from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Please contact Fawn Dunphy if you can help out.

**PSO Concert** - On June 29, we will be serving food at the concert at Fort Williams. Please mark your calendars.

**Football Trip** - Although it is still spring, it is not too soon to think about a club trip to Foxboro in the fall. Phil Dube has asked me to see if anyone in the club is interested in chartering a bus like we did a couple years ago to the Red Sox. Please contact Phil if you are interested.

**Changeover Night** - We will be having our annual Changeover Night on June 27 at DiMillo's beginning at 6:15 pm. Dinner will be \$27 each, and you do need to sign up in advance. Please contact

Paul Butler. This is a spouses night.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Maine State Attorney General, Steve Rowe, who spoke about opportunities for the children of Maine. His point was that the human brain is 85% developed by age 3 and 90% developed by kindergarten. To get the most out of it, children need a nurturing environment, positive stimulation and predictability. In Maine, issues such as substance abuse and domestic violence contribute to negative stimulation. By strengthening programs to benefit early childhood development, we can dramatically reduce the costs associated with the negative childhood stimuli. The return on such investment is estimated to be \$16 for every \$1 spent on early childhood programs. Thank you to John LoBosco for inviting Steve to speak tonight.

**Upcoming Events**

- May 30 - Kathy Fobar, Animal Refuge League (David Lourie, Program Chair)
- June 6 - Regular Meeting (J. McLaughlin, P.C.)
- June 13 - Chomba Kaluba, SMCC Student (Phil Dube, Program Chair)
- June 20 - Patricia Quinn, The Downeaster (Tom Meyers, Program Chair)

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**May 30**

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| Song        | Carson  |
| Invocation  | Hobbs   |
| Raffle Gift | Gacetta |
| Conductor   | Daviero |

**June 6**

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| Song        | Conroy    |
| Invocation  | Holt      |
| Raffle Gift | Gemme     |
| Conductor   | R. Dobson |

**June 13**

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| Song        | K. Cotter   |
| Invocation  | Kennealy    |
| Raffle Gift | Goodrich    |
| Conductor   | J.D. Dobson |

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May 30, 2007

**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**

That Shirley Mooers, wife of Dan Mooers, will be an Assistant Governor in the Rotary Year 2007-08. Even as exciting, the Breakwater Daybreak Rotary Club which presently meets at the Betsey Ross House, will be moving July 11 to the McKernan Center on the campus of SMCC where they will be having a breakfast buffet - the cost of which is yet to be determined.

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, Sea Dog tickets donated by Dan Gacetta, were won by Mike McGovern.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Dave Bagdasarian, Bob Carson, Jim Russell, Adrienne Murphy, Joe Conroy, Marge Barker, John LoBosco, Frank Butterworth, Bill Daviero, Mike McGovern, Dan Gacetta, Thurston Holt, Jack Roberts, Warren Simpson, Fawn Dunphy, David Lourie, Janet McLaughlin and John Eliassen.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**Family Fun Day** - There are still several openings for Family Fun Day. Please sign up ASAP so that we can fill all of the 3-hour shifts. Contact John Eliassen if you have any questions.

**Public Works Luncheon** - On June 19, we will be hosting our annual Public Works luncheon from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Fawn Dunphy is looking for a half-dozen volunteers to assist in serving. Please contact her if you can help out.

**PSO Concert** - On June 29, we will be serving food at the concert at Fort Williams. Please mark your calendars.

**Football Trip** - Although it is still spring, it is not too soon to think about a club trip to Foxboro in the fall. Phil Dube has asked me to see if anyone in the club is interested in chartering a bus like we did a couple years ago to the Red Sox. Please contact Phil if you are interested.

**Changeover Night** - We will be having our annual Changeover Night on June 27 at DiMillo's beginning at 6:15 pm. Dinner will be \$27 each, and you do need to sign up in advance. Please contact Paul Butler. This is a spouses night.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Wendy Edwards, Volunteer Coordinator for the Animal Refuge League, located on Stroudwater Street in Westbrook. ARL has served local communities since 1911. Its mission is to humanely care for

every adoptable animal until each is placed in a loving, caring home. Each year, more than 4,000 stray, abandoned or surrendered animals are taken in. Currently, dogs are being placed in about 1-2 weeks and cats on average of about 17 days. ARL is a private, non-profit that relies on fund raising for the vast majority of its income. In addition to the paid staff, Wendy oversees over 180 volunteers that do all of the necessary tasks to allow the shelter to function. Thank you to David Lourie for inviting Wendy to speak to us tonight, accompanied by Taz.

**Upcoming Events**

- June 6 - Penny Jordan, William Jordan Farm, (Janet McLaughlin, Program Chair)
- June 12 - Soup Kitchen
- June 13 - Chomba Kaluba, SMCC Student (Phil Dube, Program Chair)
- June 16 - Family Fun Day
- June 20 - Patricia Quinn, The Downeaster (Tom Meyers, Program Chair)
- June 27 - Changeover Night @ DiMillo's

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**June 6**

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| Song        | Conroy    |
| Invocation  | Holt      |
| Raffle Gift | Gemme     |
| Conductor   | R. Dobson |

**June 13**

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| Song        | K. Cotter   |
| Invocation  | Kennealy    |
| Raffle Gift | Goodrich    |
| Conductor   | J.D. Dobson |

**June 20**

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|-------------|-----------|
| Song        | Danielson |
| Invocation  | Knight    |
| Raffle Gift | Hawes     |
| Conductor   | Dube      |

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**June 6, 2007**

**From The Secretary's Corner-Did You Know?**

That for the next little while, you will not be able to contact me via email as my computer has died. I'll keep you updated on my situation.

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, \$25 donated by Frank Gemme, was won by John LoBosco.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by John LoBosco, Adrienne Murphy, Phil Dube, Joan Frustaci, Jean Bugbee, Janet McLaughlin, David Lourie, Kathy Cotter and John Eliassen.

**Soup Kitchen** - Next Tuesday, June 12 is our monthly Soup Kitchen obligation. Joe Conroy reports that we can use a little more help for the 4:00 pm set-up shift. The dessert is cupcakes, no nuts.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**Family Fun Day** - Next Saturday is Family Fun Day. The sign up looks good, with the exception of the 4:00-7:00 pm and the 7:00 pm to close shifts. Please sign up if you haven't already done so.

**Public Works Luncheon** - On June 19, we will be hosting our annual Public Works luncheon from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Fawn Dunphy is looking for a half-dozen volunteers to assist in serving. Please contact her if you can help out.

**PSO Concert** - On June 29, we will be serving food at the concert at Fort Williams. Please mark your calendars.

**Football Trip** - Although it is still spring, it is not too soon to think about a club trip to Foxboro in the fall. Phil Dube has asked me to see if anyone in the club is interested in chartering a bus like we did a couple years ago to the Red Sox. Please contact Phil if you are interested.

**Changeover Night** - We will be having our annual Changeover Night on June 27 at DiMillo's beginning at 6:15 pm. Dinner will be \$27 each, and you do need to sign up in advance. Please contact Paul Butler. This is a spouses night.

**Recycling Efforts** - Thank you to Tony Wagner, Dan Davidson and Paul Butler who helped John LoBosco last Saturday with several dozen walkers and wheelchairs which will be recycled and sent overseas to make a small dent in the critical shortage of these items.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Penny Jordan from the William Jordan Farm. Penny and her brother and 5th generation farmers. The business of farming is much more complex than it used to be, selling both retail at the stand as well as expanding into the wholesale market. Every year, they try to look for 3 new products to broaden their offerings. One of the exciting things they do at the farm is provide low-cost fruits and vegetables to seniors through an adopt-a-senior program. This is just one example of sharing with the community that is critical to their core beliefs. Thank you to Janet McLaughlin for inviting Penny to speak to us.

**Upcoming Events**

- June 12 - Soup Kitchen
- June 13 - Board Meeting, 5:00 pm
- June 13 - Chomba Kaluba, SMCC Student (Phil Dube, Program Chair)
- June 16 - Family Fun Day
- June 20 - Patricia Quinn, The Downeaster (Tom Meyers, Program Chair)
- June 27 - Changeover Night @ DiMillo's

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**June 13**

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| Song        | K. Cotter   |
| Invocation  | Kennealy    |
| Raffle Gift | Goodrich    |
| Conductor   | J.D. Dobson |

**June 20**

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| Song        | Danielson |
| Invocation  | Knight    |
| Raffle Gift | Hawes     |
| Conductor   | Dube      |

**June 27**

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| Song        | Daviero |
| Invocation  | Linehan |
| Raffle Gift | Hawkins |
| Conductor   | Dunphy  |

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**June 13, 2007**

**Changeover Night** - We will be having our annual Changeover Night on June 27 at DiMillo's beginning at 6:15 pm. Dinner will be \$27 each, and you do need to sign up in advance. Please contact Joan Frustaci. This is a spouses night.

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, a gift certificate to Shoppers Hardware donated by Wayne Goodrich, was won by Anne Swift-Kayatta.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Tony Wagner, Frank Gemme, Rick Dobson, Janet McLaughlin, Adrienne Murphy, Dave Bagdasarian, Marc Mutty, Wayne Schaab, Bob Carson, Jean Bugbee, Thurston Holt, Warren Simpson, Anne Swift-Kayatta, David Lourie, Phil Dube and John Eliassen.

**Soup Kitchen Wrap Up** - Serving last night at the Soup Kitchen were Steve Wilcox, Thurston Holt, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Jim Russell (with Vicke, Tori and Annie), Dave Bagdasarian, Joe Conroy, Sue LoBosco (with Emily and friends). Our next opportunity to serve is Tuesday, July 10.

**Sea Dogs Tickets** - Dan Gacetta has box seats for this year's Sea Dogs games. If you are interested in any games, please call him at 799-4555.

**Family Fun Day** - Next Saturday is Family Fun Day. We could still use a couple more people on the 4:00-7:00 pm and the 7:00 pm to close shifts. Please contact John LoBosco to sign up.

**Public Works Luncheon** - On June 19, we will be hosting our annual Public Works luncheon from 11:00 am to 1:30 pm. Fawn Dunphy is still looking for a couple more people to assist in serving. Please contact her if you can help out.

**PSO Concert** - On June 29, we will be serving food at the concert at Fort Williams. Please email Jim Russell if you plan on attending as he needs to get each of you that is working that night a ticket for admission to the fort (JRVR829@aol.com).

**New Member Proposal** - Tony Wagner has proposed Greg Maher for membership. You may remember that Greg is the son of Mickey Maher, a member of our club who passed away last year. Greg is single, lives in SP and his classification is Electrical Engineering.

**Football Trip** - Although it is still spring, it is not too soon to think about a club trip to Foxboro in the fall. Phil Dube has asked me to see if anyone in the club is interested in chartering a bus like we did a couple years ago to the Red Sox. Please contact Phil if you are interested.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Chomba Kaluba, a recent graduate of SMCC, who spoke about his experiences that led him to come to Maine and to pursue an education. Chomba grew up in Zambia, a poor country in Africa with 6 brothers and 3 sisters. In Zambia, he walked or biked 9 miles each way to school. Through the Peace Corps, he was able to arrange an opportunity to come to America, which he did in August 2005. He is attending Bates College next year on a full scholarship after achieving a GPA of 4.0 at SMCC. When he is not studying, Chomba is involved in community service activities such as working at the Soup Kitchen, helping with the homeless and working at the Boys & Girls Club. In addition to everything else, Chomba is sending money back home to help his brothers and sisters with their schooling. Thank you to Phil Dube for inviting Chomba to speak to us tonight.

#### **Upcoming Events**

- June 16 - Family Fun Day
- June 19 - Public Works Luncheon
- June 20 - Patricia Quinn, The Downeaster (Tom Meyers, Program Chair)
- June 27 - Changeover Night @ DiMillo's
- June 29 - PSO Concert @ Ft. Williams

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

##### **June 20**

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| Song        | Danielson |
| Invocation  | Knight    |
| Raffle Gift | Hawes     |
| Conductor   | Dube      |

##### **June 27**

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| Song        | Daviero |
| Invocation  | Linehan |
| Raffle Gift | Hawkins |
| Conductor   | Dunphy  |

##### **July 11**

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| Song        | R. Dobson |
| Invocation  | LoBosco   |
| Raffle Gift | Hewitt    |
| Conductor   | Eliassen  |

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June 20, 2007

**Changeover Night** - We will be having our annual Changeover Night on June 27 at DiMillo's. Cocktails begin at 5:15 pm with dinner at 6:15 pm. Dinner will be \$27 each, and if you have signed up you are committed to paying this, as we had to give the restaurant a guarantee. If you have any questions, please contact Joan Frustaci.

**Raffle** - Tonight's raffle prize, a gift certificate to The Buttered Biscuit donated by Nancy Hawes, was won by Frank Butterworth.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by Dave Bagdasarian, Janet McLaughlin, Phil Dube, Adrienne Murphy, Kathy Cotter, Bill Daviero, Jean Bugbee, Dan Davidson, Joan Frustaci, John LoBosco, Dick Yerxa, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Frank Butterworth, Lloyd Knight, John Eliassen and Paul Butler.

**Family Fun Day Wrap up** - John LoBosco would like to thank everyone who made this day a fabulous success, with a net profit of \$1622. Working on the event were Marj Barker, Jean Bugbee, Paul Butler, Bob Carson, Joe Conroy, Kathy Cotter, Peter Cotter, Bob Danielson, Phil Dube, John Eliassen, Bob Flynn, Joan Frustaci, John Hewitt, Jeff Hobbs, Jack Kennealy, Janet McLaughlin, Dan Mooers, Marc Mutty & Pam, Kathy Ray & Megan, Jim Russell & Tori, Anne Swift-Kayatta, Tony Wagner and Steve Wilcox.

**Public Works Luncheon Wrap Up** - Yesterday, we served our annual luncheon. We had a good turnout from the club as well as Public Works employees who appreciated greatly what we did. Thank you to Fawn Dunphy for organizing this year's event.

**PSO Concert** - On June 29, we will be serving food at the concert at Fort Williams. Set-up begins at 4:00 pm and we should begin serving food between 5:00-5:30 pm. Jim Russell will be handing out tickets at Changeover Night for those who have signed up. If you are not planning on attending Changeover Night, please email Jim (JRV829@aol.com).

**New Member Proposal** - Tony Wagner has proposed Greg Maher for membership. You may remember that Greg is the son of Mickey Maher, a member of our club who passed away last year. Greg is single, lives in SP and his classification is Electrical Engineering.

**Football Trip** - Phil Dube has chosen October 28 against the Washington Redskins as our football trip date. This is a 4:00 pm game. The cost for the ticket and bus is \$150. Please sign up with Phil

ASAP if you are interested.

**Help Wanted** - Janet McLaughlin is looking for host families for the elite runners in this year's Beach To Beacon. Please contact her or Jack Roberts if you are interested.

**Program** - Tonight's speaker was Patricia Quinn, Executive Director of the Northern New England Passenger Rail Authority, better known as The Downeaster. The Downeaster runs 4 round-trip trains a day from Portland to Boston. Each train has a capacity of 234 passengers. Last year, the train carried over 340,000 passengers and they've been able to reduce the round-trip time from 2 hours and 45 minutes to 2 hours and 25 minutes. Pat presented several innovative programs tonight highlighting their focus on customer service and their commitment to developing partnerships. The Downeaster is rated #1 in the country on both performance and customer service. On the horizon is a fifth round-trip train, which will allow a 5:00 pm departure from Boston, as well as a 8:00 pm from Portland, making it easier for daytrippers. Thank you to Tom Meyers for inviting Pat to speak to us tonight.

#### **Upcoming Events**

- June 27 - Changeover Night @ DiMillo's
- June 29 - PSO Concert @ Ft. Williams
- July 4 - No Meeting
- July 11 - Regular Meeting

#### **ASSIGNMENTS**

##### **June 27**

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| Song        | Daviero |
| Invocation  | Linehan |
| Raffle Gift | Hawkins |
| Conductor   | Dunphy  |

##### **July 11**

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| Song        | R. Dobson |
| Invocation  | LoBosco   |
| Raffle Gift | Hewitt    |
| Conductor   | Eliassen  |

##### **July 18**

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| Song        | J.D. Dobson |
| Invocation  | Lourie      |
| Raffle Gift | Hobbs       |
| Conductor   | Frustaci    |

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June 27, 2007

**From The Secretary's Corner - Did You Know?**

That the **REPORT OF ACTION** of the 2007 Council on Legislation of RI is out and I will report on some of the changes as they pertain to the local club over the next few weeks. As to **Regular Meetings**: The Board may cancel a regular meeting if it falls on a legal holiday, **including a commonly recognized holiday**. The Board may cancel not more than four regular meetings in a year for causes not otherwise specified herein, provided that this club does not fail to meet for more than three consecutive meetings.

**Happy Dollars** - Dollars were donated tonight by John LoBosco, Frank Butterworth, Marge Barker, Jim Russell, Joan Frustaci, Peter Cotter, Jean Bugbee, Bill Daviero, Wayne Goodrich, Bob Packer, Alan Hawkins, Jack Roberts, Nancy Hawes, Kathy Ray, Dick Yerxa, David Lourie, Paul Butler, Rick Dobson, John Hewitt, Tony Wagner, Dave Bagdasarian, Wayne Schaab, Joe Conroy, Phil Dube, Marc Muttly, Bob Carson, Alec Livingston and John Eliassen.

**Paul Harris Fellow** - Tonight we presented multiple Paul Harris recognition to Tony Wagner's wife, Sally Campbell. Congratulations to their commitment to the Rotary Foundation and to the club's commitment to raising over \$10,000 this year.

**PSO Concert** - On June 29, we will be serving food at the concert at Fort Williams. Set-up begins at 4:00 pm and we should begin serving food between 5:00-5:30 pm.

**Soup Kitchen** - Tuesday, July 10 is our monthly Soup Kitchen obligation. Please mark your calendars, as we will not have a meeting before then.

**New Member Proposal** - Jim Russell has proposed Eleanor Brainin for membership. Many of you may remember Eleanor as a past member of our club, and her interesting turkey stories. She is single, lives in Scarborough and her classification is Stockbroker.

**Football Trip** - Phil Dube has chosen October 28 against the Washington Redskins as our football trip date. This is a 4:00 pm game. The cost for the ticket and bus is \$150. Please sign up with Phil ASAP if you are interested.

**Help Wanted** - Janet McLaughlin is looking for host families for the elite runners in this year's Beach To Beacon. Please contact her or Jack Roberts if you are interested.

**Lobster Bake** - On July 18, our club will be having its annual Lobster Bake at Fort Williams. Since we are not having a meeting on July 4, it's important that you mark your calendars now for this very important event. This is a spouse's and family night, with children being served hamburgers and hot dogs.

**Program** - Tonight was our annual Changeover Night. John Eliassen began by acknowledging his Board members and announcing that a contribution was made to an elementary school in Honduras in their name. After pins were exchanged, new President, Tony Wagner outlined his agenda for the upcoming year, talked about the reorganization of the Directorships in the family of Rotary and showed a very moving video outlining several of the international projects that are ongoing in our District. Thank you to John for his wonderful year of service, and I'm sure we all wish Tony the best for the upcoming year with our new motto, **Rotary Shares**.

**Upcoming Events**

- June 29 - PSO Concert @ Ft. Williams
- July 4 - No Meeting
- July 10 - Soup Kitchen.
- July 11 - Board Meeting, 5:00 pm
- July 11 - Regular Meeting
- July 18 - Lobster Bake

**ASSIGNMENTS**

**July 11**

|             |           |
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| Song        | R. Dobson |
| Invocation  | LoBosco   |
| Raffle Gift | Hewitt    |
| Conductor   | Eliassen  |

**July 18**

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| Song        | J.D. Dobson |
| Invocation  | Lourie      |
| Raffle Gift | Hobbs       |
| Conductor   | Frustaci    |

**July 25**

|             |            |
|-------------|------------|
| Song        | Dube       |
| Invocation  | McLaughlin |
| Raffle Gift | Holt       |
| Conductor   | Gacetta    |

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